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Dear Sir:

For the benefit of the Examiner applicant encloses copies of the following patents which were incorporated by reference in the application: U.S. Patent 3,805,547 to Eber and U.S. Patent 3,853,433 to Roberts et al.

Applicant also encloses a copy of U.S. Patent 4,257,744 to Watson. This patent does not show controlling the axial load on a Belleville washer nor does it show a contoured surface on a washer. The relevance of this patent is also discussed in the Background section of the application.

The foregoing patents are submitted to comply with applicant's duty of disclosure.

Respectfully Submitted,

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